APR 1 0 2002

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 0180.0001

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on March 29, 2002 this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

37 CFR 1.8(a)

☑ with sufficient postage as first class mail

37 CFR 1.10
☐ as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label

Gayle Vinson or print name of person mailing paper)

Signature of person mailing paper)

Serial No. 10/015,063 **Filed:** December 11, 2001

Title: METHOD FOR LITHOGRAPHIC

PROCESSING ON MOLECULAR MONOLAYER

AND MULTILAYER THIN FILMS **Applicants:** Heath et al. **Group Art Unit No.** 1775

Examiner: n/a

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner of Patents Box Missing Parts Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

Sir:

In response to the NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY dated March 19, 2002 (a copy of which is attached hereto), applicants submit herewith another set of formal drawings for the above-identified application. Applicants submitted this set of formal drawings on February 6, 2002, and also attach herewith a copy of the return postcard stamped received on February 22, 2002 by the Office of Initial Patent Examination of the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Applicants have also double-checked the measurements on the drawings and find that the margins are within compliance of 37 CFR 1.84(g).

Applicants also enclose a REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME and the required government fees associated with the Extension Request. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1811.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 29, 2002

David J. Oldenkamp, Reg. 29,421

SHAPIRO & DUPONT LLP

233 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 700 Santa Monica, California 90401 (310) 319-5411 (Telephone) (310) 319-5401 (Facsimile)



United States Patent and Trademark Office

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

www.uspto.go

APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING/RECEIPT DATE

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER

10/015,063

12/11/2001

James R. Heath

0180.0001

David J. Oldenkamp, Esq. Shapiro, Borenstein & Dupont LLP Suite 700 233 Wilshire Boulevard Santa Monica, CA 90401



CONFIRMATION NO. 7255
FORMALITIES LETTER
**>C000000007669471*

Date Mailed: 03/19/2002

NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 02/22/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 01/11/2002 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

